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# IRISES

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Each year more and more enthusiasm is manifested for the most colorful of all flowers, the bearded iris. Hybridizers continue to bring out marvelous new color combinations with stems and flowers of better form and more substance and we are told more surprises are in store for the immediate future.

On account of an unusually good growing season I am enabled to offer some of the very finest productions at remarkably low prices. You will find exceptional values in each of the collections offered on the last page of this price list.

Good, strong rhizomes, unexcelled in quality, with a fine root system will be sent, properly labeled and packed insuring their starting into vigorous growth when planted. Shipments will be made from about July 5th to November 1st, as customers desire.

All varieties are true to name. Satisfactory adjustment will be made on any proving otherwise.

Prices quoted are prepaid on orders of \$2.00 and over. Under \$2.00, add 25c for postage.

**Discounts:** Except on collections and varieties marked Net, the following discounts are allowed: On orders of \$10.00 to \$25.00 discount 10%; orders of \$25.00 to \$50.00 discount 15%; orders over \$50.00 discount 20%.

**Ratings:** On the basis of 100 for perfection, ratings voted by members of the American Iris Society precede names of varieties. The first number is the exhibition rating, second number the garden rating.



## THOLE'S GARDENS

2754 45th Ave. Southwest

Seattle, Washington

# VARIETIES

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Ratings		Price
	<b>ACACIA ROSE</b> (Sass-Toedt) Color similar to the rose acacia, med. to large flowers; very fine garden variety.....	\$.75
92-91	<b>AMBASSADEUR</b> (Vil.) Bronzy violet and rich velvety maroon.....	.25
88-88	<b>AMBER</b> (Dykes) Large, tall, deep yellow.....	.75
86-85	<b>ANN PAGE</b> (Hort) A large, beautiful, pale lavender blue.....	.35
81-88	<b>APHRODITE</b> (Dykes) Very beautiful clear violet self pink.....	.65
	<b>ARGENTINA</b> (Mohr) Very large, tall, white.....	.35
84-83	<b>ARGYNNIS</b> (W'm'son) Tall, yellow and dark violet carmine.....	.25
	<b>ARIEL</b> (Murrell) Clear harebell blue self.....	.50
92-88	<b>ASIA</b> (Yeld) A silvery lavender and violet blend; one of the very best.....	.50
86-81	<b>AVALON</b> (Stur.) Large, tall, pink lavender.....	.50
84-84	<b>AZULADO</b> (Mohr) Very large beautiful pearl blue.....	.50
83-82	<b>BALBOA</b> (Mohr) Tall, large, red purple bi-color.....	.40
90-89	<b>BALLERINE</b> (Vil.) Large light lavender blue.....	.40
91-90	<b>BRUNO</b> (Bliss) Bronze and rich velvety wine purple.....	2.00
84-80	<b>B. Y. MORRISON</b> (Stur.) Pale violet and raisin purple.....	.35
96-91	<b>CANDLELIGHT</b> (Andrews) Large pale pink lavender with rich golden glow. One of the most outstanding.....	2.00
92-90	<b>CARDINAL</b> (Bliss) Rosy lavender and rich red purple. This with Bruno are best of Dominion seedlings, excepting Mrs. V. West.....	2.75
89-83	<b>CONQUISTADOR</b> (Mohr) Very tall large violet shaded mauve.....	.50
	<b>COPPERSMITH</b> (Shull) Rich coppery red velvet, very fine.....	2.25
87-86	<b>CORONADO</b> (Mohr) Lavender and red purple blend.....	.40
93-91	<b>DOLLY MADISON</b> (W'm'son) S. Mauvette shading to yellow at base; F. lilac, golden tinged haft and maroon veined; outstanding and very popular .....	5.00
88-82	<b>DOMINION</b> (Bliss) Light bluish violet and rich indigo purple velvet.....	2.00
	<b>DON QUIXOTE</b> (Mohr-Mit.) Large deep lavender and violet blend.....	.75
	<b>DOXA</b> (Sass) Huge flowers of pale olive green heavily reticulated with red purple on haft .....	5.00
86-87	<b>EL CAPITAN</b> (Mohr-Mit.) Very large, tall manganese-violet bi-color....	1.00
83-86	<b>ESPLENDIDO</b> (Mohr) Big red purple bi-color, very attractive.....	.50
85-87	<b>EVADNE</b> (Bliss) Deep rose self.....	.65
89-85	<b>FRIEDA MOHR</b> (Mohr-Mit.) Enormous bi-color pink. Very fine and outstanding .....	2.50
82-82	<b>GAVIOTA</b> (Mohr) Beautiful creamy white edged yellow.....	.35
90-88	<b>GEO. J. TRIBOLET</b> (W'm'son) Tall deep violet red purple.....	1.00
91-90	<b>GERMAIN PERTHIUS</b> (Mil.) Large velvety mulberry purple.....	1.75
86-87	<b>GOLD IMPERIAL</b> (Stur.) Rich chrome yellow self.....	.50
	<b>INDIAN CHIEF</b> (Ayers) A new outstanding red. S. Reddish tone over yellow. F. deep red, fine color, vigorous grower.....	7.50
85-84	<b>KESTREL</b> (Mor.) A magnificent reddish purple bi-color.....	1.50
86-87	<b>L'AIGLON</b> (Shull) Large livid purple (almost pure red) with dark velvety reflex .....	1.75
	<b>LE CORREGE</b> (Cayeux) S. Smoky bronze suffused red. F. dark velvety red. Very large flowers .....	2.75
84-85	<b>LORD LAMBOURNE</b> (Perry) Rose fawn and rich madder crimson.....	.50

<b>Ratings</b>		<b>Price</b>
	<b>LOS ANGELES</b> (Mohr-Mit.) Giant white edged pale blue, a great advancement in plicatas .....	5.00
87-85	<b>MAGNIFICA</b> (Vil.) Very large light violet blue and deep red violet.....	.35
88-87	<b>MAJESTIC</b> (Bliss) Light lavender and rich raisin purple. One of the best Dominion seedlings .....	.50
84-85	<b>MARY GIBSON</b> (Perry) Tan and bronzy old rose, pastel shades.....	.50
92-89	<b>MME. DURRAND</b> (Denis) Very large, tall buff with lilac amber markings—one of the best .....	1.00
	<b>MIDGARD</b> (Sass) Light yellow deeply flushed rose pink, large flower....	3.00
91-91	<b>MORNING SPLENDOR</b> (Shull) Violet and rich dark red purple. One of America's finest productions .....	.50
79-79	<b>MRS. M. CRAN</b> (Perry) Large brilliant rose pink. True variety.....	.85
92-91	<b>MRS. VALERIE WEST</b> (Bliss) The highest development of the Dominion race. S. lavender shot with bronze. F. velvety crimson purple, considered by Mr. Murrell the world's best iris.....	12.50 [REDACTED]
	<b>NEBRASKA</b> (Sass) A large and brilliant flowered deep yellow, with heavy reticulations and slight ruffling.....	4.00
90-82	<b>ODAROLOC</b> (And.) Pure light mauve, suffused pink.....	1.00
	<b>PERSIA</b> (Ayers) S. Smoky blue. F. rich blue purple, gold markings at haft. In effect the rich colorings of an oriental rug.....	15.00
89-90	<b>PIONEER</b> (Bliss) Very rich deep glowing red purple.....	1.00
88-88	<b>PRIMROSE</b> (Stur.) A deep clear yellow.....	1.25
95-95	<b>PURISSIMA</b> (Mohr.-Mit.) Very large, tall, pure white, fine form and heavy substance—will probably not be surpassed.....	3.75
	<b>RAMONA</b> (Mohr) Petunia violet, flushed cinnamon brown.....	.25
87-89	<b>ROMOLA</b> (Bliss) Pale lilac and rich velvety violet. One of the best Dominion seedlings .....	2.00
	<b>ROSADO</b> (Mohr) A large and tall clear soft pink self.....	.50
83-83	<b>R. W. WALLACE</b> (Perry) Rich violet and deep purple black.....	1.00
90-88	<b>SAN FRANCISCO</b> (Mohr-Mit.) Large white flower edged lavender, tall stem, low and wide branches. Very outstanding. Winner of Dykes Medal .....	5.00
85-84	<b>SAN GABRIEL</b> (Dean) Very large pinkish lavender, tall, early.....	.75
91-89	<b>SANTA BARBARA</b> (Mohr) Very large pure lavender blue, spreading horizontal falls. Stately and beautiful.....	.65
83-83	<b>SEMINOLE</b> (Farr) Lilac red and velvety crimson.....	.25
	<b>SENSATION</b> (Cayeux) Very large, tall, beautiful corn flower blue, self; fine form, great substance. It is well named.....	3.50
84-84	<b>SHEKINAH</b> (Stur.) A tall, clear soft lemon yellow.....	.25
92-90	<b>SIR MICHAEL</b> (Yeld) S. clear lavender blue. F. rich velvety deep blue purple. Very large and striking. A remarkable combination in coloring .....	15.00
81-92	<b>SOLEDAD</b> (Mohr) Very early bright yellow-golden center.....	.35
92-90	<b>SOUV. DE LOETITIA MICHAUD</b> (Mil.) Enormous flowers of lobelia blue—one of world's best .....	1.25
91-88	<b>SOUV. DE MME. GAUDICHAU</b> (Mil.) Rich velvety dark purple.....	.40
83-82	<b>SUNSET</b> (Denis) Old gold flushed mauve—pastel shades.....	.25
85-86	<b>SUSAN BLISS</b> (Bliss) Rose pink self, very popular.....	.35
82-82	<b>SUZ. AUTISSIER</b> (Denis) Large aniline blue and dark red violet.....	.35
88-88	<b>TENEBRAE</b> (Bliss) Rich violet and dark velvety purple.....	.50
85-86	<b>VALENCIA</b> (Mohr) Orange buff self, an entirely new color in iris.....	1.00
87-87	<b>WEDGEWOOD</b> (Dykes) Very rich real blue self. Outstanding.....	.75

# COLLECTIONS

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## No. 1—\$2.00 Prepaid

Ambassadeur  
Argynnis  
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Pioneer  
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Candlelight  
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L'Aiglon

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Midgard  
Odaroloc  
Valencia

As stock of some varieties in above collections is limited, it will be advisable to order early. In the event of being sold out of any variety late in the season, I will either substitute a higher priced variety or refund the proportionate amount; or, I will consider customer's choice of a substitute and make the change if possible to do so.

All iris enthusiasts should join the American Iris Society, annual dues \$3.00, which includes four quarterly bulletins—these alone being worth the \$3.00. Send subscriptions to Mr. J. B. Wallace Jr., secretary, 129 Church St., New Haven, Conn., making checks payable to the American Iris Society.

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